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# IMPLEMENTATION OF THE DECLARATION ON THE GRANTING OF INDEPENDENCE TO COLONIAL COUNTRIES AND PEOPLES

## United States of America: amendments to the draft resolution on the United States Virgin Islands, contained in document A/47/23 (Part VI), chapter X, paragraph 25, draft resolution B X

1. Replace the ninth preambular paragraph by the following

Noting the expressed concerns of the Virgin Islands Government and people of the Territory over the vacancy of the District Court judgeship and their wish for the appointment of Virgin Islanders to other top posts in the judicial system,

2. Replace operative paragraph 2 by the following

2. Invites the administering Power, as a matter of urgency, to facilitate the termination of federal ownership of Water Island at the end of 1992;

3. (a) Replace operative paragraph 3 by the following

3. Notes that nominees have been named for both district court judgeships; the district court judge on Saint Croix is a Virgin Islander;

(b) Delete operative paragraph 4

(c) Renumber operative paragraph 5 as operative paragraph 4

4. Former operative paragraph 5 (new operative para. 4)

(a) Fifth line

For in accordance with the read in accordance with the policy of the administering Power and the

(b) Sixth line

Delete , and to provide financial assistance as necessary

(c) Renumber former operative paragraph 6 as new operative paragraph 5.

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